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Thank you for contacting the Arkansas Attorney General's Office regarding the unemployment fraud.

Here is the following information that we are sending to those that contact our office:

Attorney General Tim Griffin advises consumers who suspect that their identity has been used to apply for unemployment benefits should immediately:

- File a police report **and** then contact the Arkansas Department of Workforce Services' fraud hotline at 501-682-1058. <https://www.dws.arkansas.gov/unemployment/reporting-ui-fraud/>
- Report the fraud to your employer.
- Obtain new copies of their credit reports from the three major credit reporting agencies (i.e., Equifax, TransUnion, and Experian) to confirm that no additional lines of credit have been opened in his or her name and consider requesting a fraud alert or a security freeze in order to prevent additional fraudulent activity. <https://arkansasag.gov/consumer-protection/money/one/credit-reporting/>
- If a victim of financial identity theft, apply for an identity theft passport with the Arkansas Attorney General's Office by submitting a copy of a police report and other relevant information. Identity theft passports are designed to assist consumers in proving their true identities. https://arkansasag.gov/site/assets/files/1811/id_theft_passport_application_and_instructions.pdf

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